

St. Patrick Catholic Church

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Secretary:

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Prayer Chain:

Micki Snyder, 304 269-3688

Weekend Masses:

Saturday, 5:30 p.m.
Sunday, 10:30 a.m.
3:00 p.m. (Latin) - during Lent

Reconciliation:

Wednesday and Saturday, 5:00pm,
Sunday, 10:00 a.m. & 2:30 p.m.

Weekday Masses:

Mon., 8:15 a.m.
Wed., 6:00 p.m.
Fri., 10:15 a.m. (School Mass)

(See Weekly Schedule for any changes to times or location!)

Eucharistic Adoration:

Wednesday, 5:00 to 5:45p.m.

Parish Office Hours: (By Appointment)

Monday, 9 - 4
Tuesday, 9 - 4
Wednesday, 12 - 5
Thursday, 9 - 1
Friday, 9 - 1

St. Patrick Catholic School

Pre-School – 8th Grade
224 Center Ave.
Weston, WV 26452
www.stpatswv.org
304-269-5547

Dr. Ian Scheu, Principal
Regina Frazier, Secretary

For last rites and anointing of the sick, please
call 304-691-0537 to speak to Fr. Ondeck.

Attendance & Collections

Saturday 77
Sunday (10:30) 105
Sunday (Latin) 50

General \$2877
Diocesan Priests’ Retirement Fund: \$ 885

Restoration loan balance:: \$76033.45

Second and Special Collections

St. Patrick Church Sanctuary Lamp Sponsorship

If you would like to memorialize the sanctuary lamp in honor/memory of someone for a two-week period, please call the parish office at 304-269-3048. The donation is \$20.

Mass Intentions

Having the Holy Sacrifice of Mass offered is more effective than flowers or memorial gifts for your deceased loved ones or as a special intention for a living person or special occasion. Mass Intentions can be placed in a “Mass Intention” envelope and placed in the collection basket or mailed to the parish office. Please indicate if the person is living or deceased and the date you would like the Mass to be said. Mass dates are filled on a “first-come, first-serve” basis.

Discover your faith with the Best Catholic media at home or on the go at formed.org.

- Go to formed.org/signup
- Enter Weston’s zip code—26452
- Register with your name and email address
- Check that email account for a link to begin using FORMED

Parish Membership & Benefits:

To be considered an “active” member of any parish (and thus eligible for Sacraments, sponsor eligibility, and the “Active Parishioner Rate of tuition” at a Catholic school), the parish takes into account the following things. First, to receive a discount at a Catholic School or to receive a sacrament, the children MUST attend weekend Mass. Second, family & individual involvement in parish life and ministries are taken into consideration. Mass attendance is only able to be tracked accurately via collection envelopes. If you are not receiving envelopes currently, please contact the parish office. Parishioners over 18 should register as a household to help us keep records accurate and up-to-date.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, March 13, 2021

5:00 p.m. Confessions
5:30 p.m. Mass for †George Whelan by John and Lesley White

Sunday, March 14, 2021, FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

10:00 a.m. Confessions
10:30 a.m. Mass for the People of the Parish
2:30 p.m. Confessions
3:00 p.m. (Latin Mass) Fourth Sunday of Lent
Mass for †Faye Mullooly by Barbara Daugherty

Monday, March 15, 2021

8:15 a.m. Mass for †Frank Angotti by Dale and Micki Snyder

Wednesday, March 17, 2021, Saint Patrick, Bishop

5:00 p.m. Confessions
6:00 p.m. Mass for †Mary P. Weber by family

Friday, March 19, 2021, SAINT JOSEPH, SPOUSE OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

10:15 a.m. Mass for †Jay Shearer by Sheila Rexroad

Saturday, March 20, 2021

5:00 p.m. Confessions
5:30 p.m. Mass for †Pat Stark by The Theresa Snaith Auxillary

Sunday, March 21, 2021, FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

10:00 a.m. Confessions
10:30 a.m. Mass for the People of the Parish
2:30 p.m. Confessions
3:00 p.m. (Latin Mass) Fifth Sunday of Lent
Mass for †Sister Christine Riley by Pat Kiddy and family

The Sanctuary Lamp is burning in memory of Margaret Howes,
March 14—27, 2021

During Lent, Latin Mass will be Sunday at 3:00 p.m.

Prayer List

Of your charity, please offer prayers for...

- Those who are sick: Matt McCauley (UHC), Jim Arsenault, Nick Bakas, Sr. Jennifer Berridge, Jean Scott Chase, Brad Curtis, Rose Determan, Tom Fealy, Marsha Garton, Robert Hamilton, Courtney Heimberger, Fr. John Hollowell, Shirley Hubbs, Mary Jo Hull, Coretta Jefferson, Emyle Johnston, Ellen Ketron, Bernadette Law, Julia Marsh, Philomena Martin, Ed and Mary Ann Murray, Susan Murray, Mary Oldaker, Delores Paugh, Sr. Ellen Poche, Steve Perrine, Raylee Rahming, Catherine Ratliff, John Riley, Mike Riley, Keith Rose, Sheila Sayre, Jim Shaver, Mary Taylor, Helen Tomaro, Philip Woodruff
- Those who have died: May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.
- All Military Personnel: Alan Hamilton, Aaron Hamilton, Stephen Lindsey, R. Brody Springer, Caleb Stark, Justin Stark, Matthew Stark
- Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life
- Former priests and religious of our churches
- Those who are homebound, in assisted living or nursing homes.
- All diagnosed with Covid 19
- All health care workers, first responders, mail carriers and essential employees

UPCOMING EVENTS

Fridays during Lent

(March 19, 26)
• 6:00 p.m., Stations of the Cross

Monday, March 15, 2021

• 6:00 p.m. Catholic Daughter meetin

Friday, March 19, 2021

• 5th Annual Irish Fest (Drive Through Only) 4:30—6:00 p.mm & 6:30—7:30 p.m. Tickets are available NOW!

Our Neighbor Collection

March

- Cleaning Supplies


Items can be placed in the plastic tote on the back porch of the parish office.

Liturgical Calendar & Scripture Readings

- Sunday, March 14, FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT, 2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23/Eph 2:4-10/Jn 3:14-21
- Monday, March 15, Monday of the Fourth Week of Lent, Is 65:17-21/Jn 4:43-54
- Tuesday, March 16, Tuesday of the Fourth Week of Lent, Is 65:17-21/Jn 4:43-54
- Wednesday, March 17, Saint Patrick, Bishop, Is 49:8-15/Jn 5:17-30
- Thursday, March 18, Saint Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop and Doctor of the Church, Ex 32:7-14/Jn 5:31-47
- Friday, March 19, SAINT JOSEPH, SPOUSE OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a
- Saturday, March 20, Saturday of the Fourth Week of Lent, Jer 11:18-20/Jn 7:40-53

Liturgical Calendar for Traditional Latin Mass

- Sunday, MARCH 14, FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT
- Monday, March 15, Feria of Lent
- Tuesday, March 16, Feria of Lent
- Wednesday, March 17 St. Patrick
- Thursday, March 18, St. Cyril of Jerusalem
- Friday, March 19, St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary
- Saturday, March 20, Feria of Lent



GET YOUR 5th Annual Irish Fest TICKETS THIS WEEK

We won't be able to gather in person but we can still enjoy a delicious meal of either corned beef and cabbage or chicken, and have fun at home! Irish Fest, drive thru style, will take place on Friday, March 19th in honor of St. Joseph! We can eat meat on this day because St. Joseph is the patron saint of our diocese.

Dinner Tickets are \$15 for adults and \$6 for kids and must be purchased in advance! Each ticket sold will be entered to win an Irish Fest gift basket. There will be an adult winner and a kid's winner. Additional prizes will be given for the 1st, 5th, 17th, and 19th vehicle that comes through the line.

50/50 tickets will be sold in advance and during the event. 50/50 tickets are \$5 each or 3 for \$10. The prize amount is currently \$350.

Drawings will take place via Facebook Live at 8:00 p.m. on the church's page.


We will serve from 4:30—6:00 p.m. and 6:30-7:30 p.m. The short break is so those of us working can attend Stations of the Cross.

Dinner and 50/50 tickets will be for sale after all weekend Masses and are available in the parish office.

The Breastplate of St. Patrick

I arise today
Through a mighty strength, the invocation of the Trinity,
Through belief in the Threeness,
Through confession of the Oneness
of the Creator of creation.
I arise today
Through the strength of Christ's birth with His baptism,
Through the strength of His crucifixion with His burial,
Through the strength of His resurrection with His ascension,
Through the strength of His descent for the judgment of doom.
I arise today
Through the strength of the love of cherubim,
In the obedience of angels,
In the service of archangels,
In the hope of resurrection to meet with reward,
In the prayers of patriarchs,
In the predictions of prophets,
In the preaching of apostles,
In the faith of confessors,
In the innocence of holy virgins,
In the deeds of righteous men.
I arise today, through
The strength of heaven,
The light of the sun,
The radiance of the moon,
The splendor of fire,
The speed of lightning,
The swiftness of wind,
The depth of the sea,
The stability of the earth,
The firmness of rock.
I arise today, through
God's strength to pilot me,
God's might to uphold me,
God's wisdom to guide me,
God's eye to look before me,
God's ear to hear me,
God's word to speak for me,
God's hand to guard me,
God's shield to protect me,
God's host to save me

From snares of devils,
From temptation of vices,
From everyone who shall wish me ill,
afar and near.
I summon today
All these powers between me and those evils,
Against every cruel and merciless power
that may oppose my body and soul,
Against incantations of false prophets,
Against black laws of pagandom,
Against false laws of heretics,
Against craft of idolatry,
Against spells of witches and smiths
and wizards,
Against every knowledge that corrupts man's body and soul;
Christ to shield me today
Against poison, against burning,
Against drowning, against wounding,
So that there may come to me an abundance of reward.
Christ with me,
Christ before me,
Christ behind me,
Christ in me,
Christ beneath me,
Christ above me,
Christ on my right,
Christ on my left,
Christ when I lie down,
Christ when I sit down,
Christ when I arise,
Christ in the heart of every man who thinks of me,
Christ in the mouth of everyone who speaks of me,
Christ in every eye that sees me,
Christ in every ear that hears me.
I arise today
Through a mighty strength, the invocation of the Trinity,
Through belief in the Threeness,
Through confession of the Oneness
of the Creator of creation.





Mrs. Moody's Annual “Eggciting” Project

Hatching chicks at St. Patrick School is something we all look forward to. This project has been going on each year, with the exception of last year, for 13 years. It is something that students remember; the good, the bad, and the ugly. And we have had all of that. This project lasts for 4-4 ½ weeks. Three weeks of the incubation process and then a week or so of the chicks living in our classroom. We have been getting our eggs from a local chicken farmer and former 1st-grade parent, Liza Surrock, for about 6 years.


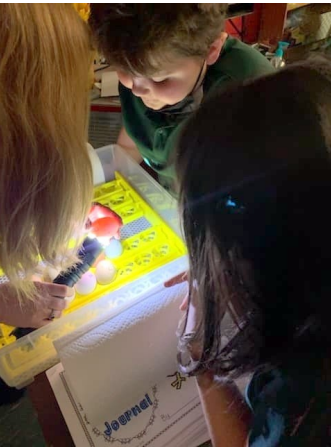
We start off with a discussion on the incubator and the importance of a constant temperature and humidity. We track the progress of development each day by watching a Youtube Video that shows what is happening inside the egg from day 1 through day 21.



Students keep a Chick Hatching Journal, which teaches them some vocabulary such as brooding, candling, egg tooth, etc. Students also draw what the chick looks like on a specific day and write a description of the development; for example on day 2 the heart begins to beat. I mark each egg with a letter of the alphabet and students name the eggs according to the letter. This way we can track who is fertilized and who isn't and who hatches and who does not.

Throughout the 3 weeks, we do some different projects along with doing the journal. In one project **Above:** Fr. Ondeck blesses the students each take care of their own egg (hardboiled of course). They make a nest for the egg to stay warm, name their egg, turn their egg (which is what a mamma hen does) and do frequent safety checks. If they leave their egg without someone watching it, then a predator (me) may come and take it, because that can happen in real life. Another project we do is candling the eggs. This is how we find out which eggs are fertilized and which ones are not. We use a high-powered flashlight on the eggs to see inside. If it is fertilized, we will see the chick's eye, veins and the air sac. Students also do a life cycle project sometime during the three weeks. The last project we do is with the book “Chicks and Salsa”. Students get to eat chips and salsa.

Day 21 is the most exciting day of the year! If a chick has hatched before they come in, I always send pictures to parents so the kids can see. During the school day, I put the Elmo on the incubator so everything will show on the Smartboard. Students will cry when they watch a new life happening. They already know these chicks from spending so much time with them in the previous three weeks. For the next week or so, the chicks will live with us. Students will get to watch them and hold them and love them. At the end of the project, if a parent wants a chick or two, then they will go to their new home. I have never had a chick that wasn't wanted. But, Liza Surrock, the chicken farmer we get our eggs from, has a home.







Above center: The incubating eggs.
Other pics: Mrs. Moody and her students perform the candling activity to see if the eggs are fertilized.

We will keep you updated on the progress of the project!